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PhD in Neuroscience

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Current – postdoctoral fellow

2014-2016 Nutrineuro, UMR INRA 1286, University of Bordeaux (France)

Supervisor: Dr Sophie Layé

Postdoctoral project: I am studying how a diet deficient in Omega 3 fatty acids is impairing the synaptic plasticity, in relation to depression. I am focusing on the plasticity dependent on the endocannabinoid system and the role of inflammation

Main techniques: patch-clamp electrophysiological recordings, social defeat protocol

Research experience

2011-2013 Departement of Anatomy, University of Otago (Dunedin, New Zealand)

Supervisor: Dr Louise Parr-Brownlie

Post-doctoral project: I investigated the neuronal activity in the thalamus of control and parkinsonian rats during movement and I demonstrated how we can improve motor performance in parkinsonian rats by stimulating the basal ganglia input to the thalamus

Supervision: 1 post-graduate student, 1 postdoctoral fellow, 1 technician,

Main techniques: electrophysiological recordings and optogenetic stimulations in freely moving rats, stereotaxic surgeries, confocal microscopy

2 collaboration projects with 1 local team and 1 international team

2008 - 2011 INSERM U667, CIRB, Collège de France (Paris, France)

Supervisor: Dr Laurent Venance

PhD project: I demonstrated one of the mechanisms of deep brain stimulation, a treatment for Parkinson's disease, and I developed a rat brain slice for the study of transmission and plasticity in the hyperdirect pathway of basal ganglia

Supervision : 2 post-graduate students, 1 technician

Main techniques: double patch-clamp, 3D anatomy, histology

3 collaboration projects with local teams

2007 - 2008 INSERM U667, CIRB, Collège de France (Paris, France)

Supervisors: Dr Laurent Venance & Prof Jean-Michel Deniau

Postgraduate project: I studied the synaptic interactions between output neurons in the striatum of transgenic D1-EGFP and D2-EGFP mice to better understand the neuronal coding in the striatum, a structure implicated in goal directed behaviour and associated disorders like depression and obsessive compulsive disorders

Main techniques: double patch-clamp, fluorescent microscopy

2007 Fer à Moulin Institute (Paris, France)

(April – August) Supervisors: Dr Emmanuel Valjent & Dr Jean-Antoine Girault

Undergraduate project: We demonstrated the impact of cocaine on MAP/Kinase pathway in output neurons in the striatum of transgenic D1-EGFP and D2-EGFP mice, to better understand mechanisms of cocaine addiction

Main techniques: Immunofluorescence, confocal microscopy

2006 Bordeaux Institute of Neuroscience (Bordeaux, France)

(March - July) Supervisors: Dr Agnès Nadjar & Dr Erwan Bezard

Summer student project: We studied the implication of MAP/Kinase pathway in basal ganglia in the development of dyskinesia induced by L-Dopa, a treatment for Parkinson's disease that lead to dramatic side effects after 5-10 years of treatment

Main techniques: Western Blot, cryostat

Teaching experience

- 2008 – 2011** Teaching at the UPMC University (Paris, France)
- Courses and training in general biology for undergraduate students (32h/year)
 - Training in biochemistry for postgraduate students (32h/year)

Education

2008 - 2011	UPMC, Paris, France	PhD in Neuroscience with honours
2006 - 2008	UPMC, Paris, France	Master's Degree in Neuroscience with honours
2003 - 2006	University of Poitiers, France	Bachelor's Degree in Biology with honours
2003	High School of Civray, France	Scientific High School Diploma with honours

List of publications

- **Bosch-Bouju C**, Smither R, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Reduced reach-related modulation of motor thalamus neural activity in a rat model of Parkinson's disease. Submitted.
- **Bosch-Bouju C**, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Motor thalamus integration of cortical, cerebellar and basal ganglia information: implications for normal and parkinsonian conditions. *Frontiers in Computational Neuroscience* 7 :163.
- Nelson MJ, **Bosch C**, Venance L, Pouget P (**2013**) Microscale inhomogeneity of brain tissue distorts electrical signal propagation. *Journal of Neuroscience* 33, 2821-2828.
- **Bosch C**, Mailly P, Degos B, Deniau JM, Venance L (**2012**) Preservation of the hyperdirect pathway of basal ganglia in a rodent brain slice. *Neuroscience* 215, 31-41.
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Deniau JM, Venance L (**2011**) Subthalamic nucleus high frequency stimulation generates a concomitant synaptic excitation-inhibition in substantia nigra *pars reticulata*. *J Physiol* 589:4189-4207.
- Deniau JM, Degos B, **Bosch C**, Maurice N (**2010**) Deep brain stimulation mechanisms: beyond the concept of local functional inhibition. *Eur J Neurosci* 32, 1080-1091.
- Bertran-Gonzalez J, **Bosch C**, Maroteaux M, Matamales M, Herve D, Valjent E, Girault JA (**2008**) Opposing patterns of signaling activation in dopamine D1 and D2 receptor-expressing striatal neurons in response to cocaine and haloperidol. *Journal of Neuroscience* 28, 5671-5685.

Fellowships, prizes and awards

- 2014-2016: **Agreenskills Fellowship**
- 2013: **First Prize** for the Research Staff Speaker Awards of the Otago School of Medical Science with the oral presentation: **Bosch-Bouju C**, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC. Movement-related neuronal activity in the motor thalamus is strongly impaired in a Parkinson's disease rat model.
- 2013: **Travel Fellowships** from the Neurological Foundation of New Zealand and from the IBAGS committee for attending the IBAGS XI meeting in Eilat (Israel) in March 2013
- 2011: **Travel Fellowship** from the French Neuroscience Society for attending the 10th French Neuroscience meeting in Marseille in May 2011

Posters in congress

- Little STC, **Bosch-Bouju C**, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Neuronal activity of reticular thalamic nucleus in urethane anesthetized rats. **31th AWCBR**, Queenstown, August 2013
- **Bosch-Bouju C**, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Reaching-related activity of motor thalamus in control and parkinsonian rats. **IBAGS XI**, Eilat, Mars 2013

- MJ Nelson, **Bosch C**, Venance L, Pouget P (**2012**) Electrical signal distortion in neural tissue on a microscale. **42th Annual Meeting Neuroscience**, New Orleans, October 2012
- **Bosch C**, Prier J, Hughes S, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2012**) New light-activated protein constructs to dissect the function of GABAergic neurons in the brain. **30th AWCBR**, Queenstown, August 2012
- **Bosch C**, Mailly P, Deniau J-M, Venance L (**2011**) Synaptic plasticity in the hyperdirect pathway of the basal ganglia. **10th French Neuroscience Meeting**, Marseille, May 2011
- Degos B, **Bosch C**, Deniau J-M, Venance L (**2011**) Subthalamic nucleus high-frequency stimulation generates a concomitant synaptic excitation-inhibition in Substantia nigra pars reticulata. **10th French Neuroscience Meeting**, Marseille, May 2011
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2010**) Inhibition-excitation competition underlies beneficial effects of subthalamic nucleus deep brain stimulation. **40th Annual Meeting Neuroscience**, San Diego, November 2010
- MJ Nelson, **Bosch C**, Venance L, Pouget P (**2010**) Microscale obstructions of electrical current flow in the brain. **40th Annual Meeting Neuroscience**, San Diego, November 2010
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2010**) Deep brain stimulation of the subthalamic nucleus decreases firing of substantia nigra pars reticulata neurons via a competition between glutamatergic subthalamonigral and GABAergic pallido-nigral inputs. **7th FENS Forum**, Amsterdam, July 2010
- Bertran-Gonzalez J, **Bosch C**, Maroteaux M, Matamalas M, Herve D, Valjent E, Girault JA (**2008**) Selective activation of signaling pathways in specific populations of striatal neurons in response to cocaine and haloperidol. **38th Annual Meeting Neuroscience**, Washington, November 2008

Oral presentations

- **Bosch-Bouju C**, Prier J, Smither R, Hughes S, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Optogenetic stimulation of basal ganglia inputs to motor thalamus affects reaching in parkinsonian rats. **31th AWCBR**, Queenstown, August 2013
- **Bosch-Bouju C**, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Reaching-related activity of motor thalamus in control and parkinsonian rats. Department of Anatomy, **University of Otago**, New Zealand, April 2013
- **Bosch-Bouju C**, Prier J, Smither R, Hughes S, Hyland BI, Parr-Brownlie LC (**2013**) Reaching-related activity of motor thalamus in control and parkinsonian rats. **Lyon Neuroscience Research Center**, Lyon, France, March 2013
- **Bosch C**, Mailly P, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2012**) Combining 3D anatomy and electrophysiology to study the hyperdirect pathway of basal ganglia. **NRG meeting**, University of Otago, New Zealand, August 2012
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Mailly P, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2011**) Excitation-Inhibition balance in Substantia Nigra *pars reticulata* induces by Subthalamic Nucleus HFS. **Brain and Spine Institute**, Paris, France, June 2011
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Mailly P, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2011**) Excitation-Inhibition balance in Substantia Nigra *pars reticulata* induces by Subthalamic Nucleus HFS. **Doctoral School congress**, Roscoff, France, April 2011
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Mailly P, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2011**) Information processing in the hyperdirect pathway of basal ganglia. **Nutrineuro Laboratory**, Bordeaux, France, February 2011
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Mailly P, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2010**) Information Processing in the Hyperdirect Pathway of Basal Ganglia. CIRB, **Collège de France**, Paris, France, October 2010
- **Bosch C**, Degos B, Deniau JM & Venance L (**2010**) High frequency stimulation of the subthalamuic nucleus: inhibition-excitation balance in the substantia nigra pars reticulata. **Basal ganglia / movement disorders meeting**, Grenoble, France, Mars 2010

References

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